

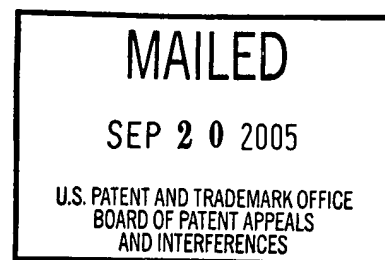
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UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

BEFORE THE BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS
AND INTERFERENCES

Ex parte JAN E. SCHNITZER

Application No. 10/056,230



ORDER RETURNING UNDOCKETED APPEAL TO EXAMINER

This application was electronically received at the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences on July 12, 2005. A review of the application has revealed that the application is not ready for docketing as an appeal. Accordingly, the application is herewith being returned to the examiner. The matters requiring attention prior to docketing are identified below:

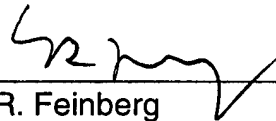
The references of Winkler and Elola relied on by the examiner on page 4 of the Examiner's Answer mailed February 22, 2005, do not appear in the file.

Accordingly, it is

ORDERED that the application is returned to the examiner to:

- (1) locate the missing references (Winkler and Elola);
- (2) have complete copies scanned into the record; and
- (3) for such further action as may be appropriate.

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